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MEMO FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Adjusted Program Approvals

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1. Following receipt of initial NRO funding approvals for FY 1968 and the subsequent briefing for [REDACTED] on the impact thereof, a review was held with [REDACTED] on 17 July in which deficiencies in the initial approvals were discussed and adjustments requested. New approvals based on our requested adjustments have been received, and line up as follows:

a. OX CART Program:

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Adjustments were made as requested except for auto-pilot spares, INS spares, the [REDACTED] range, and Construction, O&M. The [REDACTED] facility requirement is treated separately in [REDACTED] 0113-67, dated 24 July, 1967, to Comptroller, NRO. The approval adjustment paper leaves the door open for future negotiations with NRO in areas of spares, O&M, [REDACTED] closing, equipment tear-down and movement, and certain storage costs. 25X1A6a

b. IDEALIST Program

Adjustments were made as requested except for proposed new equipment, Lockheed support, the EWS test facility, and Construction, O&M. Here, too, the approval paper leaves the door open to future negotiations with NRO on the above items.

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~~SECRET~~c. General R&D (Aircraft)

The door was left open for negotiation on an item by item basis for additional projects under this program.

2. The adjusted approvals will cover the immediate program requirements except for EG&G for which retention at least through October, and preferably through November, has been requested. Other considerations, such as new equipment and U-2R programs, will be items for future actions.

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